AIZAWA-SAN MULTIPLIES

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AIZAWASAN ZOUSHOKU

CHAPTER 32:
FUSHINO-SAN AND SOUTA-KUN

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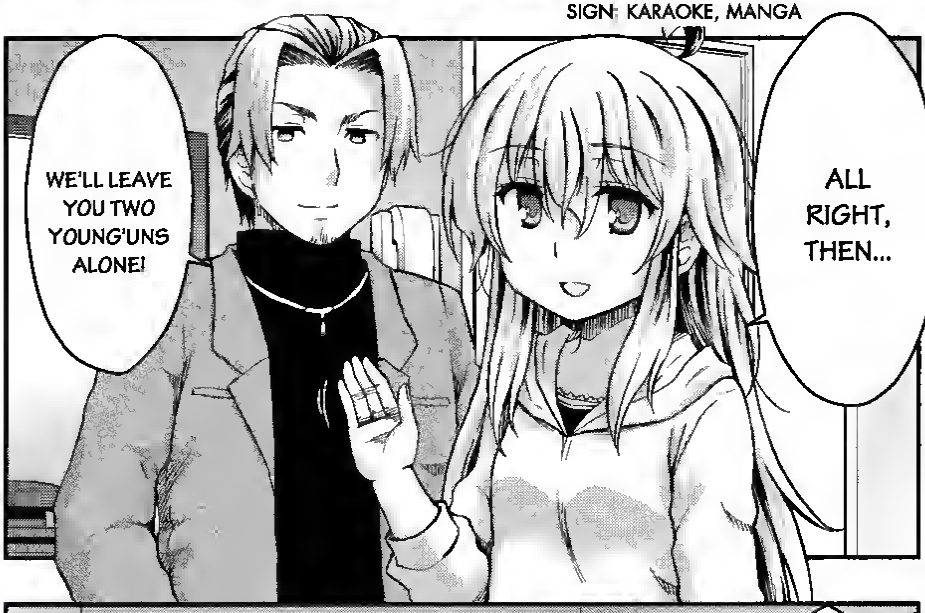

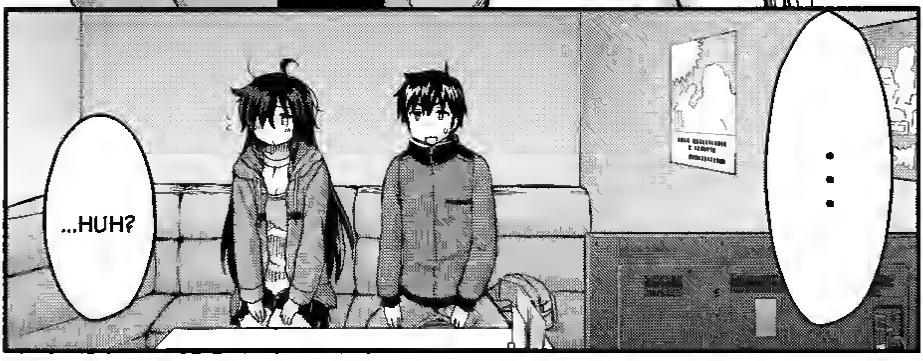

THE TWO ARE LEFT ALONE..

GOOD LUCK, ANNA!
LATER!
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CLUNK
WE'LL BE BACK WHEN IT'S TIME TO PICK YOU UP.
RUSTLE...

...

NO, WAIT! TOMOKO-CHAN...
SHUT

...HUH?
INCOMING CALL

UM, SO... WHAT ARE WE SUPPOSED TO DO HERE?
FWAH?!
UH... UMM, LET'S SEE...

U-UHM, WHAT WAS I SUPPOSED TO DO? I THINK THEY SAID...
IN OTHER WORDS,
YOU WANT TO KNOW HOW SOUTA ACCEPTS ANNA, RIGHT?

AND BASED ON THAT, YOU WANT TO SEE IF SOUTA IS RIGHT FOR THE AIZAWA FAMILY.
THEN YOU SHOULD JUST HAVE THEM TALK ONE-ON-ONE FIRST.
HOW IRRITAT-!NG.

?
YOU MEAN SOUTA-KUN AND SHINO?
?
OF COURSE NOT!
I'M TALKING ABOUT YOU AND SOUTA!
PANIC わた
WHAAAT? NO WAY...
PANIC わた
THERE'S NO WAY!
THIS IS THE WAY!
BUT!
IT'S THE EASIEST WAY.

I GUESS THAT MAY BE THE FASTEST WAY.
YOU TOO, FATHER?
GLOOM
ガーン!
I... I WON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO IF I'M ALL ALONE WITH SOUTA-KUN!

THERE'S NO NEED TO OVER-THINK IT.
ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS TALK TO SOUTA-KUN, JUST THE WAY YOU ARE.
JUST THE WAY... I AM?
RIGHT.

JUST THE WAY YOU ARE. YOUR TRUE SELF.
I SEE! JUST THE WAY I AM...
JUST THE WAY I AM. I GOT IT!

WAIT.
WHAT'S WITH THESE GREAT-SOUNDING BUT VERY VAGUE INSTRUCTIONS?
WHAT THE HECK AM I SUPPOSED TO ACTUALLY DO?!
AAAAAAH
OH, SO YOU DON'T KNOW, EITHER...
C... CALM DOWN. JUST CALM DOWN, ANNA!
UM, ANY-WAY, WE SHOULD TALK
RIGHT
TALK ABOUT...

I SHOULD INTRODUCE MYSELF FIRST.
UH... UM...
I AM...!
TURN!!!
ANNA FUSHINO!

SO...
YOU SEE...

MY LAST NAME IS DIFFERENT,
BUT I AM AN ALTER EGO OF SHINO AIZAWA'S THAT MULTIPLIED FROM HER! ...I GUESS?

GUWAAAA?!
YEAH, I THOUGHT AS MUCH. NICE TO MEET YOU.

I'M SORRY! I'M SORRY! I'M SORRY I EXPLAINED ALL THAT TO YOU WITH SUCH A SMUG LOOK ON MY FACE!
...
QUIVER ぶるぶる
QUIVER ぶるぶる
D-DON'T APOLOGIZE. IT'S NOT LIKE I KNEW FOR SURE.
I'M GLAD YOU CONFIRMED IT FOR ME.
GRIN... にこにこ...
FLUTTER... ぽわぁ...
ANYWAY, AS FOR THIS PREDICAMENT—
SHOUGO-SAN CALLED IT A GET-TO-KNOW-EACH-OTHER PARTY, BUT—
...
?
STEAM ぽぽぽ
AN ANGEL...!

...
...
I GET THAT THEY WANTED US TO BE ALONE IN A ROOM, BUT...
THIS WAS ALL VERY HAP-HAZARD, DON'T YOU THINK?
...YES!
スト
SIT
I SERIOUSLY DON'T KNOW HOW TO TALK TO HIM ONE-ON-ONE.
WHY DID I SAY THAT? I JUST ENDED THE CONVERSATION. I CAN'T DO THIS...
!
UHHH, CAN I ASK YOU SOME QUESTIONS, IF YOU DON'T MIND?
UM...
Y... YES?!
ビク
JOLT

RISE
YES! ASK ME ANY-THING!
THERE'S NO NEED TO GET *THAT* EXCITED.
LET'S START WITH...
BUT FIRST.
BOW
I'M SORRY!
GASP
YOU PROB-ABLY WANT TO ASK ABOUT "THAT,"
RIGHT? I'M SORRY FOR THE PAIN I PUT YOU THROUGH!
???
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? "THAT"?

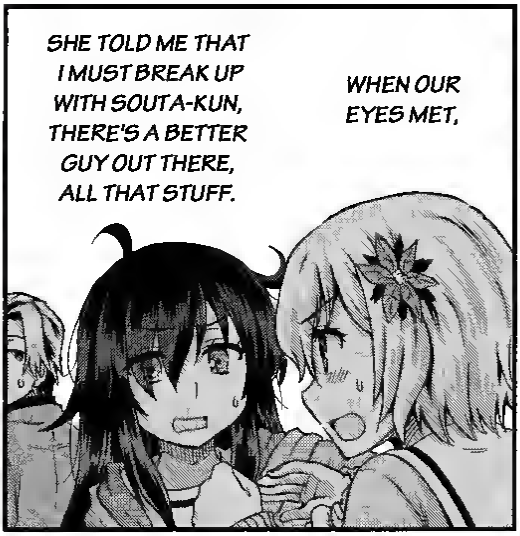
THAT GIRL WHO WASN'T HAPPY ABOUT YOU AND SHINO GOING OUT.
I PRETENDED TO BE SHINO, AND... I TOLD HER ALL THESE NASTY THINGS ABOUT YOU.
BY "THAT," I MEAN...
OH, RIGHT, RIGHT.
"RIGHT, RIGHT"?
AHA! ぽん!
COME TO THINK OF IT, THAT WAS WHAT HAPPENED FIRST.
COME TO THINK OF IT?!
WELL,
SINCE I STARTED DATING AIZAWA-SAN, THAT SORT OF THING HAPPENS EVERY DAY.

IT DIDN'T FEEL LIKE IT WAS SOMETHING OUT OF THE ORDINARY,
SO IT TOOK ME A WHILE TO REMEMBER. SORRY?
SO DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT TOO MUCH.
...

...AN ARCH-ANGEL!
SOUTA-KUN, YOU'RE...
WHAT'S WITH THAT LOOK ON YOUR FACE?
ほにゃあ♡
HNYAAH

BUT WHY DID YOU GO TALK TO THOSE GIRLS IN THE FIRST PLACE?
I'M KINDA... CONCERNED ABOUT WHAT YOU WERE UP TO AT THE TIME.

I DIDN'T GO TALK TO THEM
MORE LIKE, THEY CAME TO TALK TO ME.


SHE TOLD ME THAT I MUST BREAK UP WITH SOUTA-KUN, THERE'S A BETTER GUY OUT THERE, ALL THAT STUFF.
WHEN OUR EYES MET,

I MET THAT GIRL COINCI-DENTALLY WHEN I WAS WITH FATHER TO APPLY FOR THE SCHOOL TRANSFER.
I WAS WONDER-ING WHY SHE KEPT STARING AT ME.
?

BUT I REALIZED RIGHT AWAY...
I WAS CONFUSED AT FIRST.

SO...
AND WAS TRYING TO CONVINCE ME TO BREAK UP WITH YOU BECAUSE SHE THOUGHT I WAS SHINO.
THAT SHE ALSO LIKED YOU, SOUTA-KUN,

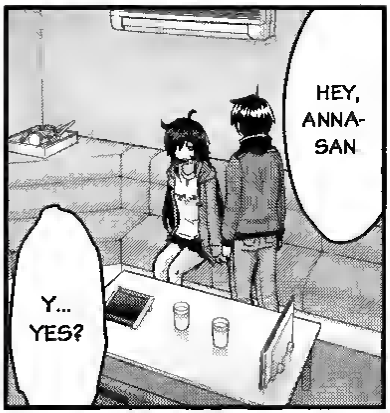
SO SHE'D MAKE SHINO FEEL ANXIOUS.
I USED THAT TO GET HER WORKED UP.

SO SHE WILL BE READY WHEN THE TIME COMES.
MY ROLE IS TO CONFIRM THE ANXIETY SHINO FEELS DEEP WITHIN HER HEART,

IF...
SHINO GETS REALLY FAT ONE DAY. WHAT WILL YOU DO?
PUSH
WELL...
I'LL BE A BIT CONCERNED ABOUT HER HEALTH?
THEN, WHAT IF SHE NEEDS TO MOVE VERY FAR AWAY DUE TO UNAVOIDABLE CIRCUM-STANCES?
I'LL TRY MY BEST TO GO SEE HER ON WEEKENDS
WHAT IF SHE'S HIDING A HOBBY THAT'S BEYOND YOUR COMPRE-HENSION?
I WOULDN'T DENY HER, I THINK.
THEN WHAT IF SHINO GETS INTO AN ACCIDENT AND BECOMES BEDRIDDEN?
...!

I'M SORRY. BUT THIS IS WHAT IT MEANS TO BE BORN FROM A NEGATIVE FEELING.
IT MAKES ME THINK... THERE'S NO 100% CERTAINTY IN THE FUTURE...
HN...
TO BE HONEST, I WASN'T PLANNING TO MEET YOU.
IT'S AWFUL, ISN'T IT?
YOU PROBABLY FEEL AS THOUGH I DON'T TRUST YOU
THAT'S WHY—
IF I DID, I KNEW I'D MAKE YOU FEEL BAD.
I'M SO DEPRESSING.
YOU'D BE SURE TO HATE ME.

I'M SORRY I'M NOT REALLY GOOO AT TALKING TO PEOPLE
WAIT... THE CONVERSATION GOT DERAILED.
OH...


HEY, ANNA-SAN
Y... YES?

FLINCH
ビク
!
STAND

HUH?!
THAT HOOOIE YOU'RE WEARING ISN'T IT THE SAME HOOOIE I WEAR A LOT?

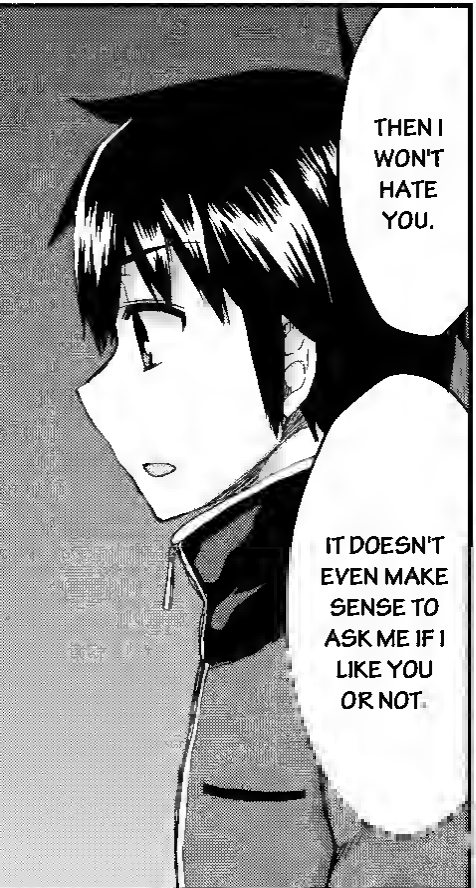
T... THIS IS, UMM...
BLUSH
BEFORE I KNEW IT, I WAS ALREADY WEARING IT. I GUESS IT'S A DESIGN I WAS BORN WITH.
I WANTED TO FEEL YOU NEAR WITH MY OUTFIT. AT LEAST, I MEAN, UHH...
OHHHHH?
SMIRK SMIRK
HEH
IN OTHER WORDS,
GRIN
YOU WANTED TO COSPLAY AS ME?

HAHA... AHAHA-HAHA!
HOW CRUEL...
D-DON'T LAUGH AT ME!

A LITTLE DEVIL?!

SORRY, SORRY...
JUST, THERE'S NO WAY I CAN HATE YOU, RIGHT?
I CAN'T HATE SOMEONE WHO DOES THAT.
?!

DOM
I'LL BE ANGRY IF YOU TRY TO TRICK OR HURT AIZAWA-SAN, BUT...
BESIDES, WITH YOU COMING FROM A NEGATIVE FEELING..
IT MEANS YOU GOT THE SHORT END OF THE STICK COMPARED TO THE OTHER AIZAWA-SANS, RIGHT?


THEN I WON'T HATE YOU.
IT DOESN'T EVEN MAKE SENSE TO ASK ME IF I LIKE YOU OR NOT.

O-OF COURSE NOT!
...YOU DON'T WANT TO, RIGHT?

RIGHT.
I'M... SHINO TOO, AFTER ALL.
DO YOU EVEN HAVE TO ASK?

SO PLEASE TELL ME MORE ABOUT YOURSELF, ANNA-SAN NOT YOUR ROLE.

I...

DRIP
DRIP
I WANT TO BE WITH YOU, TOO.

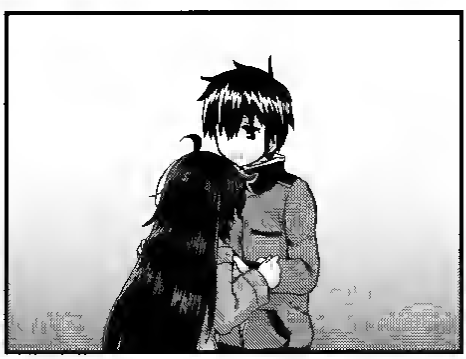
FIRST OF ALL
I WANT TO KNOW AIZAWA-SAN'S ANXIETY, ANNA FUSHINO.

I WANT TO HAVE FUN AT SCHOOL LIKE THE OTHERS.
YEAH.
I THOUGHT YOU'D HATE ME, SO I KEPT HIDING AND RUNNING AWAY.
BUT I REALLY WANTED TO SEE YOU SOONER.
I SEE.

IT'S OKAY.

EVERY-THING WILL BE OKAY.

WHY DOES THIS HAVE TO BE MY ROLE?



EVEN THOUGH SHE'S AIZAWA-SAN'S NEGATIVE ASPECT, SHE'S ESSENTIALLY THE SAME AS AIZAWA-SAN.

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